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OUR DIRECTORY.

SPRINGFIELD, county seat of Washington County, 52 miles southeast of Lexington, 39 miles from Louisville on Bardstown branch of Louisville and Nashville railroad, in a farming and agricultural district. Two banks, telegraph and telephone lines, express office, four mills, four carriage factories, two planing mills, one tannery. Population 1100; population of county 16,000.

Representative in Congress, Hon. D. H. Smith, Hodgenville, Ky.

Representative in Kentucky Legislature, Hon. G. A. Dohoney.

Representative in State Senate, Hon. C. R. Puryear Campbellsville, Ky.

County Directory.

CIRCUIT COURT

Circuit Court begins on the fourth Monday in February, May and October.

C. A. Patteson, Judge.

W. H. Sweeney, Commonwealth Attorney.

F. M. Campbell, Clerk.

Thos. A. Medley, Master Commissioner.

QUARTERLY COURT

Quarterly Court is held on the third Monday in each month.

S. L. Litsey, Judge.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court meets on the fourth Monday in each month.

S. L. Litsey, Judge.

W. F. Bogler, County Clerk.

T. S. Mayes, County Attorney.

George Catlett, Jailer.

Byron Crosby, Sheriff.

Richard Isham
Hildred Calhoun, } Deputies,
S. H. Mullican, } Deputies,
Ed Masters, }

James T. Moore, County Surveyor.

J. T. Royalty, Assessor.

A. P. Watson, Deputy.

Robert Noe, Treasurer.

J. M. Montgomery Coroner.

Supt. of Common Schools, R. D. Springfield.

CITY COURT

James E. Noe, Police Judge.

John Grace, Marshal.

W. D. Claybrooke, City Attorney.

JUSTICE COURT

Justice Courts are held in January, April, July and October.

Church Directory.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. George Douglas Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday School at 9:30, Prayer Meeting on Wednesday night at 7:30.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. J. D. Ward, Pastor. Services on the First and Third Sundays in each month at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a.m., Prayer Meeting every Wednesday night.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. P. J. Hennessey, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 8 and 10 o'clock mass. Services at St. Rose same hour.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. ——— Felix, Pastor. Service second and fourth Sunday in each month.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. G. A. Strickland, pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a.m., and at 7 p.m. Sunday school every Sunday at 10 p.m. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7 o'clock

Fraternal Orders.

MASONIC LODGE—Springfield Lodge No. 30 meets second Monday in each month.

Washington R. O. Chapter, No. 57 meets every third Monday.

Springfield Council No. 93 meets on every fourth Monday.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES—Meets every first Wednesday in each month

Manager Wanted.

We desire to employ a trustworthy lady or gentleman to manage our business in this county and adjoining territory. Our house is well and favorably known. $20 Straight Cash Salary and all expenses paid each week by check direct from headquarters. Expense money advanced; previous experience unnecessary; position permanent. Address, with stamp, Manager, 1005 Caxton Building, Chicago.

A ROUND OF TALK.

A Priceless Paradise.

By Edmund Vance Cooke.

If some weird ghost should seek my home,
Some genie, fairy, witch,
To blink my eyes with every prize
Of life, and ask me, "Which"?
I think I'd choose in half a trice
This boon to never ask the price.

I would not claim a gilded name,
Or be a fancier,
Nor would I hold the wide world's gold;
And yet I somewhat fear
I'd ask a just sufficient slice
That I might never ask the price.

A coat of arms has meagre charms
To men of modern view;
Yet were it mine to make design
I know which one I'd choose:
An open purse with this device;
"He never, never asks the price."

In Heaven a state, a place, a fete.
A rapture, or a reef?
The question's old and each may hold
His own opinion best:
But my idea of Paradise
Is one who need not ask the price!

COUNTY ASSESSMENT.—The Board of County Supervisors has completed work on the assessment valuation for Washington county for the year 1902 and the result shows a material gain in the wealth of the county likewise a corresponding increase in the burden of the taxpayer. The total assessment of all taxable property in the county for the year 1903 is $3,303 809 against $2,999,779 in 1902 or an increase of $304,680. While the raise in the assessmoht appears large for one year, the truth of the matter is said to be that property especially in certain districts of the county has heretofore been given in at much too low a figure and that an effort has been made to place the assessment at some thing near the real value of the property. The raise will mean quite an addition to the revenue of the county and if the money is used where the taxpayers will be directly benefitted—on the roads of the county for instance—all will be well and there will be little kick coming. There is one thing certain just so sure as the roads of the county are allowed to run down will the value of farms and other property decrease. To keep up the roads in good condition is to keep up the value of property. They go together.

MYSTERIOUS NOTICE—County Clerk W. F. Booker last week received the following mysterious typewritten missive in the mail with the request that it be posted. "There was a man missing in Green county about 1894 or 1895. He was between the age of 35 and 56 and was considered an old bachelor Can not give a more definite description. He rode one of the finest horses ever seen in Green county. The horse being a dark red or sorrel about 7 or 8 years old. A nephew of this man came on the hunt of him; name of known to write. If this man will correspond with Gresham. found out what became of also 12 others, mostly of she peddling class who were missed in Green county." The notice was evidently sent to other county clerks as well and No. 2" has been communicated with, but up to the present time, no reply has been received. Mr. E. A. Cox, the photographer of this place, who was living in Green county at that time says that there were some bad characters there then and he had heard of the disappearance of the mysterious stranger.

NEW ENTERPRISE—Messrs. R. D. Lake and J. C. Greene have started a new enterprise for the town, that of manufacturing smoking tobacco. The enterprise will be operated in connection with the cigar factory which has been operated by Mr. Greene for some time. Mr Lake having become a partner in that also and the business will be operated under the firm name of Lake & Greene. The leading brand of smoking tobacco will be known as the "White Seal" and is said to be a superior article made out of the best of Washington County White Burley and Old Virginia Leaf. Both members of the firm are hustlers and there is no reason why the new enterprise should not be a success from the start.

NO PRIMARY— There is to be no primary election in this county on next Saturday as had been announced, for the very simple reason that there is no contest for any of the Democratic nominations to be made. The withdrawal of Mr. C. F. Bosley which was published last week has simplified matters in the race for Circuit Clerk and left the field to Mr. F. M. Camp bell who has been officially declared the nominee by the county committee. Mr. W D. Claybrooke who has had no opposition has also been declared the nominee of his party to represent the county in the lower house of the Kentucky Legislature. Under the new law governing primary elections it is quite an expensive matter to set tle contests between candidates. The law requires that primary elections must be held according to the law governing general elections with regular ballots and all the other ma t-ters. It was estimated that the primary to settle the contest between Messrs Campbell and Bosley, had it taken place, would have cost about $250, which would have been a losing investment of $125 for one or the other

DR. RAY It will be a matter of gratification and pride to the many friends and admirers in Springfield of Dr. W. Ray to learn that he is making a good record in the management of the Western Kentucky Asylum By his business like and economical management of the finances of the inst tution he has been able to save money enough in the short time that he has had charge to purcha e a $12,000 farm This farm lies immediately adjacent the Asylum and should have been always a part of its property. It consists of two hundred and twenty-five acres of fertile river bottom land, and is a very valuable addition to the Asylum property. This is almost unprecedented in the history of Asylum management and speaks volumes in Dr. Ray's praises. In addition to this there has been a $6,000 filter and a $5,000 power plant installed since the Doctor has been in charge. All of this has been paid for out of the regular per capita allowance, and it is said there is still a nice little balance in the hands of the Treasurer Dr. Ray is loved and respected by all his employees who know that they can count on courtesy and justice at his hands.

Better than Gold

"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility. writes F. J. Green of Lancaster N. B. No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters which did me more good than all the other medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are splendid for female weakness, that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family. Try them. Only 50 cents guaranteed by Haydon.

A Weak Stomach

causes a weak body and invites disease. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures and strengthens the stomach and also wards off and overcomes disease. J. B. Taylor, a merchent of Texas says; could not eat because of a weak stomach, I lost all strength and run down in weight. All that money could do was done but all hope of recovery vanished. Hearing of some wonderful cures effected by Kodol, I concluded to try it. The first bottle benefited me and five restored me to my usual health, strength and weight. Haydon.

Those who are suffering from ailments cannot be otherwise than benefited by a dose administered in the one of U-Bar-It is a remedy overlooked daily for weary countenances. It has restored many hopeless invalids to health and strength. Sold by Wood and Campbell.

Roads And Schools.

Kentucky needs two things above all else—good roads and good schools. In our strenuous politics we have greatly neglected both of these things. We can obtain them only by arousing interests sufficient in the different counties to sustain the schools, and improve the roads. The State can give its countenance and encouragement to plans for the improvement of the school system and for the improvement of the roads, but good roads de pend large upon support, upon the conviction in every locality that roads are worth having and worth paying for.

Time was when Kentucky had the best roads of any state in the Union, but for half a century we have been building railroads to the neglect of our turnpikes, and new county roads. Every part of the State should take an interest in the road question. It is well to build railroads but we can leave that work to capitalists, to the home capitalists or to the foreign capitalists, but we cannot expect foreign capitalists to build our country roads. Every railroad station should be the center of a good roads movement reaching out in every direction, bringing that immediate country into direct and easy connection with the railroad system. —E'town News.

Tendency of the Times

The tendency of medical science is towards preventive measures. The best thought of the world is being given to the subject. It is easier and better to prevent than to cure. It has been fully demonstrated that pneumonia one of the most dangerous disease that medical men have to contend with can be prevented by the use of Chamberlains Cough Remedy. Pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of influenza and it has been observed that this remedy counteracts any tendency of these diseases towards pneumonia. This has been fully proven in many thousands of cases in which this remedy has been used during the great prevalence of colds and grip in recent years and can be relied on with implicit confidence. Pneumonia, often results from a slight cold when no danger is apprehended until it is sudden, discovered that there is fever and difficulty in breathing and pains in the chest and then it is announced that the patient has pneumonia. Be on the safe side and Take Chamberlains Cough Remedy as soon as the cold is contracted. For sale by Haydon

Escaped an Awful Fate

Mr. H. Huggins of Melbourne Fla., writes "My doctor told me that I had consumption and that nothing could be done for me. I was given up to die The offer of a free bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption induced me to try it. Results were startling. I am now on the road to recovery and owe it all to Dr. King's New Discovery. It surely saved my life. This great cure is guaranteed for all throat and lung diseases by C. J. Haydon, druggist. Price 50 cents & $1.00. Trial bottles free.

Local Option in Bloomfield.

As the time approaches for a test of the question, the fight for and against whiskey at Bloomfield grows in interest The white portion of the community is nearly divided in the matter it is said and success for either side hinges on the negro vote The "dry" people say they have strong hopes of carrying the colored vote and the "wet" element says the same. Both sides however, are making into consideration the unstability of the negro, and admit that no ever wins the victory it will be a close one. In the event that the wets are victorious the drys we are told, will carry the question to the courts for a final decision and with the law's delays, there will be many a day before Bloomfield has a licensed saloon. The ballots are in preparation as the question is to be voted on Tuesday the 24 inst.

I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a number of years and have no hesitancy in saying that it is the best remedy for coughs, colds and croup I have ever used in my family. I have not words to express my confidance in this remedy-Mrs J. A Moore North Star, Mich, For sale by C. J. Haydon

When applied to a burn or a scald Dr. Classe's German Penetratin Linement relieves the pain at once Its effect is cooling and soothing. Sold by Wood & Campbell

The best physic, "Once tried and you will always use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets." says William A. Girard Pease Vt. These Tablets are the most prompt, most pleasant and most reliable cathartic us. For sale by Haydon

Mothers give safely Foleys Honey and Tar to their children for coughs and colds for it contains no opiates or other poisons. Sold by Wood and Campbell.

Bardstown Notes.

From The Standard.

Our good friend Mr. S. O. McMakin was in town today en-route from Louisville to his home at Chaplin. While in the city Mr McMackin sold four hogsheads of tobacco at an average of $8 50 per hogshead. He reports the tobacco market dull

Mr. J. F Wathen Monday sold his farm five miles northwest of Bardstown to Mr. Charles Wheeler for $3 500. The place contains 324 acres and is now occupied by Will Coomes. Mr. Wheeler will get possession next January

N M. Spalding of Cox's Creek recently sold to Nazareth Academy 4 head of cattle. Two weighed 2130 pounds each and two 1740 pounds each. For the first mentioned he received four cents per pounds and for the last 3 3 4 cents.

Mrs. Wm. Brown died at Lake land Asylum of which she had been an inmate for two or three years last Monday. She was 38 years of age and was formerly a Miss Avery of Washington county She was the wife of Wm. Brown of the Mill Creek neighborhood who with her two children survive her, The remains were brought here for interment.

Kidney complaint kills more people than any other disease, This is done to the disease being so insidious that it gets a hold on the system before it is recognized, Foleys Kidney Cure will prevent the developement of fatal disease if taken in time, Wood and Campbell

De Witts Witch Hazel Salve

The only positive cure for blind, protruding and itching piles, cuts, burns, bruises, eczema and all abrasions of the skin. DeWitts is the only Witch Hazel Salve that is made from pure unadulterated witch hazel—all others are counterfeits. DeWitts Witch hazel Salve is made to cure—counterfeits are made to sell Haydon,

Married in Louisville

Mr. Lewis Ogden Stiles and Miss Pearl Lonie Booth of Louisville were married at the home of the bride's uncle in that city, yesterday, Rev. S. P Stiles, the groom's father officiating. After an elegant 6 o'clock dinner the bridal party left for Lebanon, where they will be guests at the Cleaver house They will go to Bradfordsville Thursday where they will be tendered a reception at the home of Rev. Stiles. Mr. Stiles is assistant dispatcher in the Louisville, Henderson, & St. Louis Ry, at Louisville and is a young man of good habits and fine business qualifications. He is a nephew of L. K. Stiles of Bardstown, His bride is one of Louisville's popular young ladies. —Standard.

My Hair

"I had a very severe sickness that took off all my hair. I purchased a bottle of Ayer's Hair Vigor and it brought all my hair back again."
W. D. Quinn, Marseilles, Ill.

One thing is certain, Ayer's Hair Vigor makes the hair grow. This is because it is a hair food. It feeds the hair and the hair grows, that's all there is to it. It stops falling of the hair, too, and always restores color to

Notice to Creditors

By order of the Washington Circuit Court, all persons having claims against the estate of Samuel F. Turner, deceased are hereby notified to present the said claims, properly proved before me at my office in the town of Springfield, Ky. on or before the 21st day of Feb. 1903.

S. L. LITSEY, M. C. W. C.

Hubert Vreeland For Commissioner of Agriculture.

(Farmers Home Journal)

As its thousands of readers know, the Farmers Home Journal does not often express its preferences or advise its friends and patrons in contests for political offices, but there are times when we deem it to be in our special province to speak a plain word where the interests of the farming classes of Kentucky are especially concerned, and in this connection we desire to express our heartiest indorsement of the candidacy of Mr. Hubert Vreeland, of Jefferson county, for the Democratic nomination for Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Statistics. The State Primary will be held on May 9th in every county in Kentucky, and every Democrat will doubtless feel it his duty to go to the polls and there express his preferences in the various contests for State offices As for the other State offices, the Farmers Home Journal has no preferences to express believing that it should have an eye only to that which is of direct concern to the farming classes. Mr Vreeland was formerly a representative of the Farmers Home Journal, and has for the past three years has been the assistant Commissioner of Agriculture, receiving the appointment from Commissioner Ion B. Nail on account of his special fitness for the duties. His service as assistant has familiarized him with all duties of the office and in fact has given him a knowledge of the conduct of its affairs that a new man could not acquire until after a year or two of his term had expired, Mr. Vreeland has all his life been a steadfast Democrat, always supporting actively the regular nominees of his party. He has already received the indorsement of thousands of the most representative farmers in Kentucky and it affords us a real pleasure to be able to recommend to our readers and friends such an eminently qualified and estimable candidate as Mr. Vreeland. We speak for him because we know him. We speak for him because we know the requirements of the office which he seeks

The Easy Pill

DeWitts Little Early Risers do not gripe or weaken the system; they cure Biliousness, jaundice, constipation and inactive bowels by arousing the secretions, moving the bowels gently and effectually and giving such tone to the glands of the stomach, liver and bowels that the cause of the trouble is removed entirely. These famous little pills exert a decided tonic effect on the organs involved and if used a few days there will be no return of the trouble, Haydon,

When you feel blue and that everything goes wrong take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will cleanse and invigorate your stomach, regulate your bowels, give you a relish for work and make you feel that in this old world is a good place to live. For sale by Haydon,

Winter coughs are apt to result in consumption if neglected, They can be broken up by using Foleys Honey and Tar. Sold by Wood & Campbell

Harrodsburg Court Day.

A large crowd of citizens of Mercer and traders from other counties caused a lively time on Monday. There was a great demand for horses and mules but none for cattle, only 200 head being offered Of those auctioneer McGinnis sold 15 500-lb weight at $20; six calves at $11; some milk cows at $23 to $60; one nice horse for $65; one nice mare for $44 65; a work mule for $36; mules in pairs $125-$175.

At James' stable 6 mules sold from $105 to $146; 11 horses at from $75 to $125 Vernon Divine sold Dodd of Wilmore a gelding for $145, John Buster sold Lynn & Bume a black gelding for $100

At J. L. & Buford Vanarsdales stable 3 pairs of mules sold at $250 to $300 a pair: 14 head of horses sold at from $100 to $125 a head

At Givens' stable 3 head of mules sold at $125; and a pair of mules for 287.50. Fourteen head of horses were bought by E. A. Dodd of Wilmore at $75 to $118 a head. Harbison of Lexington bought 6 head of horses at from $90 to $120 a head and took them to Lexington to-day to deliver

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF SPRINGFIELD, KY.

At Springfield, in the State of Kentucky, at the close of business February 6, 1903

NO 1767.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$205,151.69
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	3,850.00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
U S Bonds on hand	200.00
Stocks, securities, etc	3,200.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	5,000.00
Merchandise	6,281.50
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	57.11
Due from approved reserve agents	30,284.99
Notes of other National banks	208.00
Fractional paper currency nickles and cents	141.19
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	$6104.75
Legal-tender notes	8970.00-18,074.75
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation	2,500.00
Total	$329,489.16

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	15,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	8,372.13
National Bank notes outstanding	50,000.00
Due to other National banks	6,545.15
Due to State Banks and Bankers	1,479.61
Individual deposits subject to check	176,794.91
Time certificates of deposit	25,718.34
Liabilities other than those above stated	582.82
Total	$329,489.16

STATE OF KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF WASHINGTON, SS:

I, A. C. McElroy, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. C. McElroy, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to by this 16th day of February 1903.

J. A. Soulware, N. P. W. Co., Ky

CORRECT—Attest:

B. L. LITSEY
H. M. URUNDY
F. M. CAMPBELL } Directors.

The scratch of a pin may cause the loss of limb or death when blood poisoning results from the injury. All that is necessary is to apply Chamberlains Pain Balm. It is an antiseptic and quick healing miscptic for cuts, burns bruises. For sale by Haydon.

$1000 thrown away.

Mr. W W. Baker of Plainview Neb., writes "My wife had lung trouble for 16 years. We tried a number of doctors and spent over a thousand dollars without relief, She was very low and I lost all hope when a friend suggested trying Foleys Honey and Tar, which I did and thanks to this great remedy it saved her life. She is stronger and enjoys better health than she has known in ten years. We shall never be without Foleys Honey and Tar and would ask those afflicted to try it. Sold by Wood & Campbell.

A Clearance Sale.

Having sold my farm situated three miles from Springfield and one mile from Simsons on the pike leading to Lebanon offer at public sale on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1903

all my stock, farming tools, household and kitchen furniture consisting of the following: One combined mare in foal, 1 combined horse, 1 work mule, one 2-year-old finely bred horse, one yearling filly, high grade; 3 year ling mules, 2 extra milch cows, giving milk, one fine heifer, 27 head of hogs extra good, 1 new wagon, 1 new buggy, 1 old buggy one brake cart, mowing machine good one, disc harrow, 2 Oliver turning plows, 2 double shovels, 1 single shovel, one extra runner sled, one wheat fan.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

One nice bed-room suit, one Pullman plush parlor suit, one center table, one Hamilton organ two nice rockers, 4 nice iron beds, one set extra nice high back chairs, 9 cane bottom sitting chairs, one dining table extension, one Seth Thomas clock, one steel oven range cook stove, one parlor stove, one heating stove, one sewing machine, one extra nice parlor lamp, 3 mens saddles, one side saddle, one bell, and many other things too numerous to mention.

Ladies are especially invited.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums under $10 cash. Over that amount 12 months credit; a note with approved security negotiable and payable in either bank in Springfield.

R. D. LAKE.

Col. R. E. Whitney, Auctioneer.

THE OLD RELIABLE

ROYAL

BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

Killed and Robbed.

A special from Bald City Kas to the St. Louis Republic the under date of February 8th, contains the following: "Benjamin Knott aged 75 years, a well to-do farmer was found dead in his room here today, his head crushed by some blunt instrument and lying in a pool of blood. The dead man came here from York Neb. where he had a brother, Jas. Knott. He had just sold some land and it is believed he was murdered by robbers.

Mr. Benjamin Knott was the son of Samuel Knott and was born and grew up to manhood near Newcastle in this county and has many relatives still living here who will learn of his death with profound sorrow and regret. One of his sisters married Mr. Travis Thornton of Bradfordsville and another married Mr. Elijah Coppage formerly of this county but now living in Greenville Ky. Mr Knott was a thorough business man and made friends wherever he lived. He was never married.—Lebanon Enterprise.

One Minute Cough Cure gives relief in one minute because it kills the microbes which tickle the mucous membrane causing the cough assist the same time clears the phlegm and draws out the inflamation and heals and soothes the affected parts. One Minute Cough Cure strengthens the lungs, wards off pneumonia and is harmless and never failing cure. In all curable cases of coughs, colds and croup One Minute Cure is pleasant to take, harmless and good for young and old. Haydon.

A night alarm.

Wednesday an alarm of fire at night is the bravest cough of croup which sounds in the children's death knell and it means death unless something is done quickly. Foleys Honey and Tar never fails to give instant relief and cures the worst forms of croup. Mrs P L. Cordier of Manassington Ky, writes. My three year old girl had a severe case of croup the doctor said she could not live, I got a bottle of Foleys Honey and Tar and the first dose gave relief and saved her life. For sale by Wood and Camp

Hit Wrong Mark.

Last Saturday afternoon Mr. Harvey Sweeney, son of Capt. W H. Sweeney accidentally shot Helen Goode, an old colored woman. The young man was shooting at a dog which was in the yard and one of the buck shot with which the gun was loaded struck the clock, glancing and taking effect in the thigh of the old colored woman who was in her own home near Capt. Sweeney's premises. Dr. McChord dressed the injury which is painful but not serious. Young Sweeney is deeply grieved at the mishap as does he old lady herself.—Lebanon Enterprise.

A Friend

You may have comparative comfort until laughing, coughing attacks of nervous excitement bring on a fit of coughing which tears you to pieces, very bones ache, Do not suffer needlessly, Even when a cold on the lungs seems to have got in its power Allen's Lung Balsam will loosen the mucous, allay the irritation, heal the aching throat and do more the easiest conquering.

Salesman Wanted.

To look after our interests in Washington and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Address the NURSERY CO. Rochester, N.Y.

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry

One case of each and either one of the same will be sent to any address on receipt of price. Watches $1.00, Clocks $1.00, Jewelry 50c. Address, Watch Co. Box 1, Rochester, N. Y.

...YEAR IN ADVANCE.

SPRINGFIELD, KY.

E. L. DAVISON, Jr.
EDITOR AND PUBLISHER.

...local or business notices, 10 cents per ... and subsequent insertion.

...ADVERTISEMENTS.

...Contract advertisements ..... $ 2.50
...Display ads ..... $ 1.00
...Display ads ..... $ 1.00

...Democratic ticket to be voted at the ... Marion, Taylor, Green and Washington ... subject to the action of the Demo... cratic party.

Commonwealth's Attorney

We are authorized to announce

BEN SPALDING

as a candidate for the office of Commonwealth's Attorney for the 11th Judicial district subject to the action of the Democratic party. Primary election June 6, 1903.

We are authorized to announce

HENRY S. McELROY

as a candidate for the nomination for Commonwealth's Attorney of the 11th Judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce

R. L. DURHAM

of Green county as a candidate for the office of Commonwealths Attorney subject to the action of the Democratic party, in this the Eleventh Judicial district composed of the counties of Washington, Marion, Taylor and Green. Primary June 6, 1903.

For Circuit Clerk.

We are authorized to announce

MR. P. M. CAMPBELL

as a candidate for the office of Circuit Court Clerk of Washington county subject to the Democratic Primary, February 21, 1903. If elected will be assisted in the office by Robt. Nue.

For Representative

We are authorized to announce

Mr. WILLIAM D. CLAYBROOKE

as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of Representative in the lower House of Kentucky Legislature from Washington county.

The campaign for governor has opened in earnest. Gov. Beckham made his opening speech at Cynthiana Monday night before an audience of about 1500 voters. Hon. John K. Hendrick is selected Gen. Gutzwiller and roundly scored Beckham for building a machine and forcing a primary. Hendrick says that he has mortgaged his home to raise money to defray his part of the expenses of the primary.

King Edward and Queen Alexandra opened Parliament at London Tuesday, the King reading the usual address to the members. The event was marked by a great display of jewels and finery. Before the King's arrival the cellars of the house were ... and forcing a primary. Hendrick ... mortgaged his home to raise ... money to defray his part of the ... expenses of the primary.

It is reported that President Roosevelt has offered Gen Basil Duke, an ex-Confederate soldier and ex-Democrat the U. S. Circuit Judgeship which is sought for by a large number of life-long Republicans. Thus are the faithful rewarded. Gen. Duke has so far declined the honor and says that he has never sought it.

John W. Langley, formerly of Prestonsburg, Ky., is said to have good chances for appointment as Chief Clerk of the Department of Commerce under Secretary Cortelyou who has been promoted to that place from the position of private Secretary to President Roosevelt.

Kentucky products will have a creditable exhibit at the St. Louis exposition. It was decided by the coal operators of Kentucky that they would contribute about $10,000 to the fund for making a coal exhibit at the St Louis World's Fair.

DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

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NAPOLEON'S AWFUL HAND.

One Theory of the Great Man's Failure at Waterloo.

Napoleon, according to Alexander Dumas, lost such battles as he did lose because he wrote such a fiendish hand. His generals could not read his notes and letters, typewriting had not been invented, and the trembling marshals, afraid of deciphering and striving to interpret the indecipherable commands, loitered, wandered and did not come up to the scratch, or not to the right scratch. Thus Waterloo was lost. Can not you fancy Grouchy handing round Napoleon's notes on that sanguinary Sunday? "I say," cries the marshal to his aid-de-camp, "is that word Gembloux or Wavre? Is this Blucher or Dulon?" So probably Grouchy tossed up for it, and the real words may have been none of these at which he offered his conjectures. Meanwhile on the left and center D'Erlon and Jerome and Ney were equally puzzled and kept on sending cavalry to places where it was very uncomfortable (though our men seldom managed to hit any of the cavaliers, firing too high) and did no sort of good. Napoleon may or may have been apprised of these circumstances. His old writing master was not on the scene of action. Nobody dared to say, "Sire, what does this figure of a centipede mean, and how are we to construe these two thick strokes flanked by blots?" The imperial temper was peppery; the great man would have torn off his interrogator's epaulets and danced upon them. Did he not once draw his pistol to shoot a little dog that barked at his horse? And when the pistol missed fire the great soldier threw it at the dog and did not hit him. The little dog retreated with the honors of war.

Such was the temper of Napoleon, and we know what Marlborough thought of the value of an equable temper. Nobody could ask Bonaparte to write a legible hand, so his generals lived a life of conjecture as to his meaning, and Waterloo was not a success, and the emperor never knew why. Of all his seven or eight theories of his failure at Waterloo, his handwriting was not one. Yet if this explanation had occurred to him Napoleon would certainly have blamed his pens, ink and paper. Those of Nelson at Copenhagen were very bad. "If your guns are no better than your pens," said a Danish officer who came in under a flag of truce before the fight, "and was asked to put a message into writing, you had better retire." Andrew Lang in Longman's Magazine.

SICKROOM PHILOSOPHY.

Never confine a patient to one room if you can obtain the use of two.

Never play the piano to a sick person if you can play on strings or sing.

Never stand and fidget when a sick person is talking to you. Sit down.

Never complain that you cannot get a feeding cup if there is a teapot to be had instead.

Never read fast to a sick person. The way to make a story seem short is to tell it slowly.

Never judge the condition of your patient from his appearance during a conversation. See how he looks an hour afterward.

Never put a hot water bottle next to the skin. Its efficiency and the patient's safety are both enhanced by surrounding the bottle with flannel.

Never allow the patient to take the temperature himself. Many patients are more knowing than nurses where there is a question of temperature.

Hot Cross Buns.

In its early days, when it is to be hoped, it was more tasty than it is now, the hot cross bun played some part in converting the people of these islands to Christianity. Pope England was in the habit of eating cakes in honor of the goddess of spring, and Christian missionaries found that though they could alter the views of the people in reference to religious matters they could not induce them to withhold from the consumption of confectionery. So they put the sign of the cross upon the buns of the Saxon era and launched it upon missionary enterprise which has since run through the intervening centuries and survived till now.—London Tit-Bits.

A Wet Umbrella.

Never leave an umbrella standing on the point in the ordinary way when wet. The water trickles down, spoiling the silk and making the stick unsightly. It is also a mistake to open it and leave it standing, as this stretches the silk, making it baggy so that it is impossible to fold it smoothly. The proper way is to shake out as much of the water as possible, then stand the umbrella on its handle to drain.

Comparisons Are Odious.

Perkins, Jr.—Why don't ye buy that horse of Seth's, pop? He's got a fine pedigree.

Perkins, Sr.—Pedigree! The question is, is he worth anything? Why, boy, them aussiefy folks what comes here in the summer has pedigrees.—Brooklyn Life.

A Barrier.

"What have you in the way of beefsteak today?" asked the cheerful customer who hadn't paid his bill.

"Well," replied the fond butcher, "I reckon about the only thing in the way is its price."—Baltimore News.

News From The County.

Happenings Among the County People as Reported by our Correspondents.

Cartwrights Creek

Miss Alice Blandford spent part of last week with Miss Nora Smith.

Smith Carrico and wife spent Monday night with Hilary Dowling.

Several of our young people attended the serenade at Ben Smith's last week.

Ed Phillips bought from James E. Smith one cow and calf. Price unknown

Mr. James E. Smith and Ed Phillips bought from Jim Mudd 14 shoats at $2.30 per head.

Mr. J. B. Carrico was visiting Bl. Uncle Joe Spalding of near Valley Hill the first of the week.

Mr and Mrs Bart Mattingly, George Smith and Fonzie Medley spent Sunday at J. B. Carr co's

Misses Belle and Florence Smith and Cora Phillips spent Tuesday night with Will Riney and family

Robert Riney came up from Louisville Thursday for a short visit to his friends. He returned home Saturday.

Old Cartwright's Creek was booming last Sunday George Smith had twenty locust post's washed away by the flood.

Mr. F. M. Carrico who went to Louisville last week to be examined by the doctors there returned home Thursday very much improved by his trip.

MOORESVILLE

T. H. Hardin was in our village last Sunday.

Miss Bettie Reed a charming young lady of Woodlawn is visiting relatives at this place.

Mr. Erastus Yates will leave for Illinois this week. We wish him good luck in his new home.

Last Sunday was quite a rainy day consequently there was but little travel on the highways.

Mr. Herbert Eddeman and wife of Antioch attended the sale of A. W. Eddleman last Saturday

Mrs. Etta Woford and Miss Ardie Woford visited at Mrs Susan Gostleys, last Saturday and Sunday.

The goods of Uncle Nibb Proutman, have been invoiced by A. W. Eddleman and has taken charge of same.

W. O. Ellis is agent for Spaulding steam laundry of Louisville. He guarantees first class work. Give him your patronage.

People realized last Sunday and Monday that we needed a bridge across the river at Maud as the river was past fording.

The sale of Mr. A. W. Eddleman last Saturday was well attended and everything sold at good prices. Jas. Eddleman auctioneer.

One of the largest snows of the season fell Monday night. Colder now than it has been this winter. The weather now looks very much like ground hog weather.

Latham Springs

Born, to the wife of Murray Gordon a boy.

John H. Young lost a valuable mare last week.

Henry White gave an oyster supper last Friday night.

Mrs. M. W. Ruby gave a music party last Saturday night.

Mr. C. C. Jenkins of Kirkland was in our midst last week.

Robert Brown bought a lot of saw logs from M. A. Shields.

Wm. Foster has moved his saw mill to J. D. Keeling's place.

Miss Sallie Denis gave a social last week. All report a good time.

Miss Mattie Gordon gave a music party last Wednesday night.

Should the weather continue unsettled much longer farmers will be considerably behind with their work.

Mr. Uriah Keeling who has been suffering with a cancer on his face for some time is improving at this writing.

Miss Nora Cheatham wife of Bert Cheatham had her eyes painfully burned by hot grease while cooking last week.

One of H. White's favorite pups committed suicide last week by hanging himself with a rope. No cause for the horrible deed can be accounted for unless it was for lack of the necessary quantity of eggs to satisfy his appetite.

Moberly Schoolhouse

Robert Brown sold a wagon to Elmer Keeling for $47.

Socials and parties are quite numerous in this section

Dudley Moberly called on his best girl at Antioch last week.

William Colvin and wife visited Mr. George Keeling last Saturday

Robert Brown was in Bloomfield last week to sell some saw logs.

Thad Cheatham was in our community last week on business.

Samuel Keeling of Louisville is visiting relatives here this week.

Joseph Burkhead sold 80 acres of land to William Milburn at $12 per acre.

Abner Forsgard wife of near Antioch visited Mr. and Mrs John Kays last week.

Mrs. James Parrot of near Bardstown visited her parents, Mr and Mrs. George Wonnes last week.

We are having some bad weather so no jambs just now. The lamb crop will be short this season.

Ed Kays sold his tobacco to the Continental Tobacco Co. They also bought several other crops in this section

Mrs. Effie Shirley, of our town, has returned home after a week's visit at the home of Mr and Mrs. G. W. Shirley.

Mackville

Some one said we were dead, but we are not yet, you know.
With your cutting breeze,
And with your torrents cold.
When will you show the vernal leaves
And flowers to spring so bold

Ed Derrad family left last week for Indiana, where they will make their future home.

Dr Hyatt spent a few days at Willisburg last week.

There is quite an epidemic of mumps in our town and community.

Mrs. Josie Myers has taken rooms with Mrs. C. Lowell for the present.

Rev. Brewer Cranfill, pastor of the Christian church of this place, delivered three sermons last week at which

Jacoby Hickerson and Miss Mattie Wright, age 18 years, were married on last Thursday.

Quite a number of our young people gathered at Mrs. Lowell's last Friday night.

Mrs Marion Sweeney has been on the sick list for several days.

A. M. Ferguson will open a poultry house here this spring. Andrew is a hustler and will no doubt succeed in his new enterprise.

Mr. James Peters who has been here for several days visiting old friends and relatives left last week for Bardstown where he will spend awhile with his mother, Mrs. Mary Peters, before leaving for his home in Oklahoma.

Wm. Webb sold his farm of 35 acres to Jeff Mattingly for $500

Possession given May 1st. Mr. Webb has also bought the Haydon place of 27 acres at the old Vanarsdale mill for $100

McINTIRE.

It seems as though winter has just begun and the majority of the farmers would welcome a nice spell of weather so as to begin their farm work.

Mr. Ignatius O'Bryan is not so well as he was when last this precinct was heard from.

William Mudd, who has been in Louisville to be operated on, returned home last week much improved.

Mr. James Warren of Louisville spent a few days with his uncle, Mr. Eld Kidwell of this place last week.

Mrs. Andrew Fields returned to her home in Louisville after a pleasant visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs Fred Hill, and other relatives of this place.

Mrs. Tine Cecil and her sister in-law Sybilla Mrs Jas. Field and Mrs. Andrew Fields spent last Friday with Mr. Jas. Hill's family

Miss Leora Blandford entertained several of her friends last Sunday.

Mr Len Edelen who has been visiting his parents near here, returned to his home in California last week.

Misses Della and Fannie Smith have gone to Louisville where they are expecting an occupation

Mr. Albert Medley is anticipating going to Louisville where he will seek employment, May he have success.

Miss Grace Waters of Springfield is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. McCullum of Hardins Creek One of our most popular gents seems to stray in that direction quite often.

Marion Simms sold to T. F. Ballard, a bunch of hogs at $5.65 per hundred. J. E. Hill also sold to same party, one fat hog price unknown. Latter also purchased a bunch of hogs from T. Carrico, price unknown.

Mr. Robert Nally has moved to a place he rented in Gandertown.

Nearly Forfeits his Life

From many almost endless fatalities that a horrible ulcer on the neck of B. Orner Franklin, Grove Hill, Ala., for four years defied doctors and all remedies, Bucklen's Arnica Salve had no trouble to cure him. Equally good for Burns, Bruises, Skin Eruptions and Piles. 25 cts. at Haydon's drug store.

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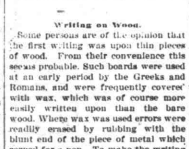

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Writing on Wood.

Some persons are of the opinion that the first writing was upon thin pieces of wood. From their convenience this seems probable. Such boards were used in an early period by the Greeks and Romans, and were frequently covered with wax, which was of course more easily written upon than the bare wood. Where wax was used errors were readily erased by rubbing with the blunt end of the piece of metal which served for a pen. To make the writing more visible it appears that some black substance was smeared over the surface of the white wax and remained in the scratched marks.

Good Enough as It Is.

"Doctor, if a pale young man named Jinks calls on you for a prescription don't let him have it."

"Why not?"

"He wants something to improve his appetite, and he boards at my house."

It Would Seem So.

Flirt Niece—Why do you object to poets so strenuously, Uncle Tom?

Uncle Tom—Because when two people attack one inoffensive piece of music simultaneously it's tuning assault.—Chicago News.

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UNPLANTED CORN.

It Has a Habit of Getting Uneasy In the Spring.

"It beats all," said a Bergen county farmer, "what curious things we find in nature that we can't explain. You kin go over a lot of 'em, and there's yet one that you can't tell me why it is. That's corn heatin' up in the spring.

"You take a lot of corn. I don't care if it's whole corn or cracked corn or cornmeal. You keep it in any kind of storehouse—the common granary, like we have on the farms, or the stone or brick building, like many of the grocers and feed dealers have it in. When it comes corn plantin' time, that corn of yours 'll git uneasy. Soon's the blades start out of the ground, then you'll have to hustle to save your grain.

"Seems as when the time comes along for corn to be planted the corn in the bags, no matter what shape it's in, begins to heat up, and when the planted corn begins to grow what you've got to look out for in particular is scours. You've got to take it out of the bags and spread it out so it'll cool off or you'll lose it all. In a few days it'll cool down again, and you won't have to more trouble with it durin' the summer, no matter how hot the weather gits. It's just when the planted corn starts; that's all.

"Curious? Of course it's curious or I wouldn't speak of it. I might understand how whole corn would act that way, but when it comes to cracked corn and cornmeal then it's too much fur me. And I'll bet you can't tell why it is, 'cept it's just nature tryin' to assert herself."—New York Mail and Express.

Dressing by Act of Parliament.

The old sumptuary laws were those regulations by which the dress and food of the king's subjects were nicely controlled. It was a sort of official Mrs. Grundy. Fashion regulations for men in particular descended down to very precise lines, and the changes in their attire occurred much more frequently than in women's. Very often it is the case now. In those days, too, men's dress was bright and even gaudy.

Prior to 1104 the hair was the region. In that year, however, Henry I., of blessed memory to barbers, had all his subjects docks ruthlessly shorn.

The next important edict of this kind was under Edward III., who decreed that no one should wear more than two courses for dinner, except on the eight ses holidays in the year, when the king's lieges might eat and drink at will.

Of interest to ladies will be the hard fate that befell the big sleeves worn by men under Richard II. We are told that some hung down to the knees. When pottage is brought to the table the sleeves go into them and get the first taste." In short, the nuisance was so intolerable that a statute was passed prohibiting any man below a baronet from wearing them.

The Carbuncle.

One of the largest and most precious stones is the carbuncle, which is sometimes confounded with the ruby, from which it differs by the intensity of its fires, produced by an integral luster of gold, while under the purple of the ruby there only appears dottings of azure or lacquer. Ellis, in producd the most precious and cut carbuncles. The Chaldeans regarded this stone as a powerful talisman. Legend makes the eyes of dragons out of carbuncles. Garcias, physician of one of the viceroys of India, speaks of carbuncles which he saw in the palace of that prince which were so extraordinary in their brilliancy that they seemed "like red coals in the midst of darkness." Louis Vertoman reports that the king of Pegu wore an enormous one, which Albit appeared to be lighted up with flames. The virtues of the carbuncle are resistance to fire, preservation of the eyes, promotion of pleasant dreams, creation of happy illusions and an antidote against impure air.

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The Parsee.

The Parsee, untrammeled by his surroundings, is seen in Bombay in all his wealth of height and dress. The men are, without exception, tall, finely formed and stately, and possess a robustness and beauty quite at contrast with their Hindoo neighbors.

Their street costume is a peculiar white cotton gown, wide trousers of the same material and color and a tall cylinder shaped hat. They have a general reputation for sobriety, frugality and sanctity, and they seem to be worthy of the reward the accumulation of fortune in this respect resembling the Hebrews. The wealthiest residents of Bombay are Parsees.

Where Cobras Are Held to Be Sacred.

The Hindoos on account of their superstition are very loath to destroy a cobra. It appears prominently in their mythology, and it is venerated both as a symbol of a malicious and destructive power and also a beneficent one. According to Mr. A. K. Forbes, cobras are looked upon as guardian angels, and there is a Bengalese tradition that a man inf. t unspiciously shaded by a cobra will come to the throne.

Hard Work.

Mrs. A.—I'm surprised that your husband earns so little if he works as hard as you say. Wunt does he do?

Mrs. G.—The last thing he did was to ride on a railroad train.

Mrs. A.—Why, that's easy.

Mrs. G.—Yes, but he was ticketed in the car.

THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT THE ORIGINAL LIVER MEDICINE

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Not Concerned.

"Why don't you try to hand an honored name down to posterity?"

"I don't know," answered Senator Sorghum. "Maybe I don't look far enough ahead. So long as my signature is honored at the bank I don't see that it would add positively one much difference."—Washington Star.

Crates!

Inquiring Young Man—When a person says something nice about another, why is he said to "pay a compliment?"

Grouchy Man—Reckon he expects to get something for it.—Judge.

There Are Others.

Old Ender—Well, Low, do you like your profession?

Young Ender—Professions is it. It's the practice I'm likin' most.—Town and Country.

A Willful Misconception.

Pitt was indicted by Sir Robert Walpole for having committed a capital offense toward the end of the eighteenth century and make him the "goat." Having enjoyed his office for a few years, Sinclair began to desire a promotion in the social scale. "Dear Mr. Pitt," he wrote to the prime minister, "don't you think the president of the board of agriculture should be a peer?"

"Dear Sir John Sinclair," answered Pitt, "I entirely agree with you. I have therefore appointed Lord Somerville to succeed you as president of the board of agriculture."

Sir John Sinclair went about writing his hands and exclaiming: "Some d—d fool has put me! It was all a willful misunderstanding!"—Fortnightly Review.

Lastditz Resistance.

The colonel stopped his team before the cabin of an Arkansas squatter. He went to the main sitting on a log at the door.

"When I was along here a month ago and asked you how far it was to Cypress Creek you said it was two miles. Now you say it's only nine. Why didn't you say so?"

"It was the old woman's fault," replied the squatter. "I wasn't sure whether it was nine or ten miles, and so I went in and axed her. She reckoned it was twelve, and I had to restore the same or leave it at that. Then I axed her as she reckoned, and she reckoned that you'd reckon it was twelve miles high enough, and I reckon you reckoned that way."

The Beautiful Turquoise.

The turquoise is considered as a talisman in Persia, its native soil. It preserves its possessor from accidents and insures constancy in affections. The value of the turquoise depends on its shade and its size, especially its thickness. Those classed as belonging to the old rock are valued very highly. Emblem of youth, of sentiment and tender recollections, the turquoise may be called the forget-me-not of stones.

Contagious Colds.

"This fishin' fever seems to be contagious," said the deacon, noticing the long row of anglers perched upon the creek bank.

"Yes, it's contagious, all right," said the man who had come home with a mess of fish, "but not fatal."—Baltimore American.

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Unnecessitated.

Judge—What is your age, madam?

Witness—I'm at least five years younger than the neighbors think me.—Philadelphia Press.

If a man quits smoking and goes to chewing he is not much of a hero.—Atchison Globe.

ALLIGATORS AS BOATMATES

Experience With One That Had Been Apparently Killed.

Alligators move rapidly under water, are hard to see, harder to hit, and the harpoon will penetrate only the least accessible portions of the body. Nor does the title to the hide necessarily pass with making fast the weapon.

One afternoon in the Chewowitchkee river I harpooned a large alligator which towed me up and down the stream for an hour or two and then sulked in its deepest part. I pulled on the line until the boat was directly over him and stirred him up with the harpoon pole. He rolled himself up on the line in the manner peculiar to sharks and alligators and thumped the boat suggestively. We rowed to the bank and, making fast to some bushes, hauled on the line until we succeeded in worrying him nearly to the surface, when he rose to the surface and attacked us with open mouth. We repelled the attack with harpoon pole and rifle. The former was promptly bitten in three pieces, but the latter apparently finished him. It was so nearly dark that we decided to carry him in the skiff a mile down the river to where our sloop was anchored. We broke the seats out of the boat and together managed to lift the head of the alligator aboard and tie it. We then tied to the other end, when the reptile came to life and landed a blow with his tail which lifted me out of the skiff into the saw grass, with the breath knocked out of my body and my hand and face badly cut by the grass.

Boat and boatmen were capsized and my rifle had fortunately been left upon the bank, I was able to kill the alligator again. We secured him by floating the boat under him and then hoisting it out. The alligator completely filled the boat, so that my companion and I sat upon his back as we paddled down the river with gunwales unpleasantly near the water.

It was growing dark, and the water around us was becoming alive with alligators. While we were congratulating upon our overhead condition our alligator came to life again and shifted ballast until water poured over the gunwale. We quickly balanced the boat, only to see it again disturbed and to ship more water. A scramble for the shore followed, which we reached without capsizing and where we left our victim for the night after again killing him. In the morning our buzzard friend from the Homosassa river, surrounded by his family, was sitting above him in the tree waiting for us to attend to our carving duties.—Country Life In America.

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Quick sales and short profits is my imotto therefore it will pay you to call and see me. C. W. Hagan.

Don't miss getting one of those men's ten dollar suits for $6.98. Only one week more at that price Robertson Bros.

I want what your [illegible] take it to C. W. [illegible] pays the highest market price. Cash if preferred

Remember that C. W. Hagan carries a large stock of fancy groceries and his prices are right. Try and convince yourself.

Get your carpets, rugs, mattings, window shades, linoleum at Robertson Bros. They carry the largest line in town. Their prices are always right.

Now is the time to dispose of your shoulder meat because I want it and I have always heard it said that was the time to sell hogs. C. W. Hagan.

I still have five or six of the leading varieties of poultry. Don't fail to provide yourself with something good.
M. H JONES

Mr. James Grigsby and Miss Marion Rodine two popular young people of the Mooresville neighborhood were married at Camdin on yes erday, Rev Fizer officiating.

Mr Sherman Martin has bought of Mr. J. E. McClasky of Nelson county the fine stallion Lyle Russell for which he paid $600. This is one of the most finely-bred as well as one of the best individual horses in this part of the state.

The following marriage licenses have been issued from the county clerk's office since our last issue; Mr. Jessie Hickerson and Mrs. Mattie Wright, Robert Timms and Amanda Hungate, W. E. Edelen and Miss Lillie Cannon, Arthur Powell and Bertha Lee Graves.

The heavy rains of Saturday and Sunday raised the water in the water works reservoir to the top of the dam and it took hard work to prevent it from running over, which was finally accomplished by opening the escape pipe and also making a channel for the overflow at one end of the dam

Tuesday was by far the coldest day of the winter, the themometer registering two degrees below zero. The heaviest snow of the season also began on that day, which was a fortunate thing for the growing wheat crop, protecting it from the severe freeze.

Barlow & Wilson's celebrated minstrels will appear at the Opera House this place on Saturday February 28 for a one night performance. This has been known for years as one of the best minstrel shows on the road and Manager Theo Campbell is fortunate in having been able to secure the attraction for Springfield as they rarely appear in towns so small as this. It goes wi hout saying that a crowded house will be the result

In another part of this issue we publish a clipping from the Farmers Home Journal which speaks in the highest terms of Mr Hubert Vreeland and his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Commissioner of Agriculture. Mr. Vreeland was born in this county, He has been acting as Deputy Commissioner for some time and is thoroughly familiar with the duties of the office and is well qualified for the place. Washington county Democrats can make no mistake by giving him their support.

Have you noticed our liberal offer to subscribers on the first page of this issue? The American Farmer one of the best farm papers in the country given with each new subscriber, or with all old subscribers who renew for another year. We will also make the following offer: The NEWS-LEADER, the Weekly Courier-Journal and the American Farmer—all three for one year for $1.50. Regular price $2.50. We also have attractive clubbing rates with other papers and magazines. Let us know what you want.

Mrs. Francis Walker an old and respected lady resident of the town died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. W. Noe on Tuesday. She had been ill for several months and her death was not unexpected. The deceased was a most estimable Christian woman and had reared a large family of children all of whom are now grown. She had made her home for several years with the family of her son-in law Mr. C. W. Noe. The funeral took place from St. Dominic church on Wednesday morning

For Sale.

Fifty thousand feet of lumber in the tree of all kinds including a lot of cedar. Also 20 acres of tobacco land to lease to good man. Otis Porter,
Botland Ky.

Notice

All persons having claims against the estate of Amanda Mc lain deceased are hereby notified to present same properly proven to me at my office in Springfield, Ky., on or before March 10, 1903.

A. C. KIMBALL,
Admnis rator

HORSES WANTED!

Mr. R. A. Dodd of Wilmore KY will be at P. W. Simms' stable Springfield on Monday, Feb. 23 County Court day to buy a carload of fat Southern Horses.

DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN CURES INDIGESTION.

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PERSONAL

Mr. W. M. Durrett was in Bloomfield the first of the week.

Messrs T. S, Mayes and R. H Mullican were in Lebanon Monday.

Mrs. Julia Thompson of Owensboro is visiting relatives at this place.

Miss Lucy Selecman has been quite ill but is much improved at this writing.

Messr. W. C. McChord and I. H. Thurman are in Lebanon this week attending court.

Judge C. R. McDowell and wife of Danville visited relatives here the first of the week.

Hon. John W Lewis is in Bardstown this week engaged in the trial of the Lancaster will contest.

Mr. T. S. Mayes' family were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Beam at Early Times on Saturday.

Rev. G. A. Strickland who has been confined to his home for about two weeks is somewhat improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. William Daisy of Louisville were here the first of the week on account of the death of Mrs. Daisy's mother, Mrs. Walker.

Messrs. Will Hardesty and Dan Neal with their families of the Polin neighborhood have gone to Bolivar county Miss., to locate.

Dr. J. M. Frazee of Maysville, candidate for the Democratic nomination for Commissioner of Agriculture was here the first of the week making acquaintances.

Mrs John W Lewis and daughter Miss Mary, went to Louisville saturday where Miss Mary will enter the Semple Collegiate School. She will reside with her aunt Mrs Samuel Averitt

A Correction

I have learned from several Washington county teachers that I misrepre-ented them in making the Secretary's report of the Fourth Congressional Teacher's Association which convened in your city Oct., 17 and 18.

In that part of the report relating to the awarding of the banner stated that Nelson county had won the banner over Washington after a hard struggle It was purely a mistake in the minutes of the meeting and was not intended to cast any reflection on the eachers of Washington county, as I have since learned, was so interpreted by some of them. Hoping that this correction will soothe any ruffled feelings, caused by the mistake, and that you will give us a desperate struggle for the banner banner a Lebanon Junction

I remain
W. F. HIBBS,
Sec'y 4th C T A.

Kidney complaint kills more people than any other disease. This is done to the disease being so insidious that it gets a hold on the system before it is recognized Foleys Kidney Cure will prevent the developement of fatal disease if taken in time. Wood & Campbell

In Memoriam of Mrs. Lydia Sweets Lee.

Lydia Sweets was born in Bardstown Ky., Feb., 5, 1824. she was married to Thornton Lee Sept 2nd 1851. Mr Thornton Lee was born in Port Republic, Buckingham county Va on Sept. 14th 1822. Immediately after their marriage they went to Springfield Ky. where Mr. Lee went into business as proprietor of a wagon making shop. They lived quietly, prosperously and lovingly together until December 3rd 1864 when he was relentlessly and cruelly murdered by guerillas who entered and pillaged the town. It was one of those bloody incidents which characterized that never to be forgotten period in American history—the Civil War—by which tragedy Mrs. Lee was left a widow with five small children Her nervous system was greatly shocked—her heart, not only broken by the rude and sudden taking away of the object of her affections but was seriously organically injured for the balance of her life. When the means of support for herself and little flock of helpless orphan children was thus suddenly swept away she was a "widow indeed" The sympathy of the entire community turned towards her, and she took up the burden thus laid upon her, uncomplainingly, modestly and submissively and bore it in such a way as to command the esteem of all who knew her. Mrs Lee was universally respected and beloved by all who knew her. Her death, which occured Feb. 6, 1903 elicited the sympathy of the community. Her funeral was conducted by Rev J. D Ward, pastor of the M. E church of which she had been a life-long member assisted by the Rev. Miles Saunders D. D. who had been a warm and sympathetic friend to her and her children for nearly half a century. He feelingly testified to the purity, modesty and Christlike life of the departed and gave the sorrowing friends most comforting assurances of "the rest that remains for the people of God."

M. S.

FROM ANOTHER FRIEND

We regret the loss of our noble and Christian friend, and do most sincerely extend our sympathy to those to whom she was most dear, Mrs. Lee was loved by all who knew her and to do that which was most pleasing to her Savior was ever her pleasure and ambition. There never lived a sweeter character or a better christian in our midst and one more generally loved by those who knew her, than she, doing all she could for those around her that needed assistance and sympathizing with the poor and needy who were beyond her reach. Though it is impossible but to mourn her death, can we wish her back, here in this world of sorrow and sin? Nay, but rejoice because of the crown she has so patiently won and is now enjoying with her Lord and Master, taking advantage of her pure and christian life here on earth as an example and an inspiration to aspire to the topmost round; an aspiration that we too might some day reach that goal, that crown trusting Him with our lives to do with us that which is best and in doing so not only adding to our crown in the happy beyond, but making life more pleasant here on earth,

Time worketh, let us work too
Time undoeth, Oh let us do,
As busy as time at our work we'll be
Until we rest in the rest of eternity

J. O. W.

Pittsburg Ky.

Foleys Honey and Tar is the best for croup and whooping cough, contains no opiates and cures quickly. Careful mothers keep it in the house. Sold by Wood and Campbell.

Public Sale

As attorney for Mrs. Teresa Boyle I will on

Saturday February 28

sell at public auction on the premises the following property in Springfield:

A good two story dwelling on West High street near Catholic church, nearly new with an acre lot Also the property on Main street below the old hotel site known as the Dick Edelen property and consisting of a storehouse, barber shop, butcher shop and carriage warehouse. All of the above property is rented and is yielding a good income. Sale will begin at 2 P. M.

Terms will be made known on day of sale.

C, A. THOMPSON,
Atty for Mrs. Teresa Boyle.
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BIRMINGHAM PICTURES.

They Were Mere Paper, but They Subdued the Artist Turner.

Turner, the great landscape painter, was a curious mixture of parsimony and generosity, determined money grubbing and unreckoning devotion to his art. He would drive a hard bargain one day and the next refuse to sell at any price. Intending purchasers were sometimes excluded from his gallery, and the refusal of admission was communicated in anything but a polite manner.

Mr. Gillott, the wealthy pen manufacturer of Birmingham, once proved himself equal to the task of storming the castle in the teeth of the gruff artist and his doorkeeper and achieving a bargain. A book on Turner gives the story.

Mr. Gillott was met at the door of Turner's house by an old woman, who opened the door and asked the gentleman's business.

"Can't let 'e in!" she snapped out, when he told her, and tried to slam the door.

But Mr. Gillott had put his foot inside the door and without waiting for permission pushed past the enraged janitress and hurried upstairs to the gallery. Turner met him like a spider whose web has been invaded. The intruder introduced himself and said that he had come to buy.

"Don't want to sell!" was the answer.

"Have you seen our Birmingham pictures, Mr. Turner?" inquired the visitor, as calmly as if he had been received as a gentleman should be.

"Never heard of 'em," said Turner.

Mr. Gillott took from his pocket some Birmingham bank notes.

"Mere paper," remarked Turner, who evidently enjoyed the joke.

"To be bartered for mere canvas," said the visitor, waving his hand to indicate the paintings on the wall. His tone—perhaps also the sight of the "mere paper"—conquered Turner, and when the visitor departed he had bargained for several valuable pictures.

THE MISSING FOWL.

An Experience With an Absentminded English Artist.

Wills invited me to dinner one afternoon when I met him in the Strand. I accepted, reminding him that as he was absentminded he had better make a note of the evening. As he had no paper in his pocket he wrote the date on his shirt cuff. When the appointed evening arrived I went to his studio. The door was opened by Wills, and I could see that he had forgotten all about the appointment. "Ah, old fellow," he exclaimed, "do not be too hard on me. The cuff went to the wash, and the date with it. But there is a fowl in the pot boiling here," continued Mr. Wills. "Just come in and wait a few minutes."

I had my misgivings, but walked inside and sat down upon the only chair not crowded with paint, brushes and palettes. After waiting for about twenty minutes, feeling decidedly hungry, I groaned. This had the effect of reminding Wills that I was present. He exclaimed in a dreamy voice, "The fowl must be boiled by this time," and coming forward he lifted the lid of the pot and peered inside. "It is very odd," he remarked, "but I cannot see the fowl. Extraordinary! No one has been here, so the bird cannot have been stolen."

Well, the long and short of it is that a week or two after I called again at the studio, noticed a peculiar odor and discovered the old fowl wrapped up in a piece of brown paper. "Ah!" said Wills, "now I know how it all happened. When the fowl was brought in there came a smart visitor—Lady G—about sittings for her portrait. I must have thrown the fowl behind a canvas and forgotten all about it. But now, old fellow, do shut up!"—London Mail.

"Have you any trouble in meeting your creditors, old chap?"

"No difficulty whatever. I meet 'em everywhere, old boy."

A FEW LEFT

Of those Men's twelve and ten dollar Suits for only

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This is an exceptional bargain and you should not lose time in securing one of them before they are closed out.

We are still selling Dress Skirts and Corsets at

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Just Received the largest stock Carpets, in Tapestry Brussells, Ingrains and Granites, China and Japanese Mattings, Linoleums and Oil Cloths that we have ever shown.

LACE CURTAINS

The most effective designs in Lace Curtains ranging in price from 40c to $6.00 a pair.

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We are showing a most complete stock of Wall Paper in beautiful combinations of French Patterns, Crowns, Florals, Tapestries, Ingrains and Tiles It would certainly interest you to visit this department.

We offer special inducements to cash buyers in prices and the Blue Rebate Stamps. Call for your stamps.

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$110 in Gold Given Away.

In order to encourage the farmers of Washington and adjoining counties in the production of eggs and poultry and to induce them to market their eggs often, I will on November 2, 1903 award the following prizes to be paid in GOLD. To the farmer who brings

The Largest No. of Fresh Eggs $50

To the second $25, Third $20;
Fourth $10; Fifth $5;

No merchant, peddler or dealer of any kind will be permitted to enter the contest under any circumstances, as this is intended alone to encourage the egg industry in the hands of the farmer and to show my appreciation of their trade in the past and to more amply repay them in the future.

A receipt will be given for every dozen or more eggs delivered, but for no less than one dozen, so as not to break your eggs. We will also endeavor to pay the highest market price for your produce The awarding of the above prizes will be left on deposit at the Peoples Bank on February 10, 1903, and remain until November 2, 1903, when same will be distributed among the deserving contestants. Anyone who may be in doubt as to the reliability of this offer may satisfy themselves by calling at the Peoples Bank. Eggs to be delivered at Poultry House, Springfield Railroad Street.

M. H. JONES, Manager.

Washington Letter

Washington D. C., Feb. 12 1903

The most important accomplishment of Congress during the past week has been the completion by the Senate of its trust program which was concluded on Wednesday by the reception of the final report of the Department of Commerce including the new Sugar Refining publicity amendment which it is hoped to have excited the ire of gentlemen of the Standard Oil Company. The final passage of this bill which is certain to receive the approval of the President, means the creation of a new department of the government and another seat in the President's Cabinet. It is generally expected that Mr. George B. Cortelyou, now secretary to the President will be appointed to the new portfolio as President McKinley announced that to be his intention and it has, thus far been the policy of President Roosevelt to carry out the intentions of his predecessor as far as possible. On this particular question however, Mr. Roosevelt has not committed himself and it is possible, but the great value of Mr. Cortelyou's services as to the White House may result in his retainment in his present position. It is known that the President has been urged to take this course and to double Mr. Cortelyou's present salary out of his own pocket.

The Senate has ratified the Alaskan treaty, practically without opposition, very few senators voting against it, the vote being viva voce. The ratification of this treaty before any of the other important events before the Senate was unexpected but an opportunity was seen to effect its approval and was promptly seized by the Senate leaders. To day, as soon as the routine business is disposed of, the Columbian treaty, providing for the building of the Panama Canal, will be taken up and the Senate expects to spend the day in executive session. It is the hope of the leaders that all of the treaties can be ratified before the 4th of March, although there is some doubt on the question as Senator Morgan will strongly oppose the Columbian treaty in its present form and it is expected that several sessions will have to be devoted to its consideration.

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House bill without amendment. The latter provides for the extension of the center east front of the capitol a distance of 108 feet, this being in accordance with the Walter plans which were approved by President Filmore in 1859. The cost of the extension will be $2,500,000. The office building which will be erected just south of the Capitol will conform to the latter in style of architecture and will cost $3,100,000 in addition to the cost of the site which is estimated at $500,000. When completed probably three years hence, the new accomodations will provide an office for every member of the House, whereas at present, only the chairman of committees have offices of their own. The rooms are to be elaborately furnished in leather and will be provided with handsome mahogany tables, conchesetc., also hot and cold water and other conveniences. The cost of furnishings is not included in the above estimate. Between the capitol and the new office building which will be about 500 feet distant will be construc ed a tunnel through which will run electric passenger cars for the convenience of members.

Youthful Burglar

On two or three occasions recently the store of Morgan Bros. has been entered at night and the cash drawer filled of small change and a number of pocket knives taken. Roy Wilson aged 14, in the employ of the Telephone Company was arrested yesterday as the culprit. He would walk on the roofs of the various buildings until he reached Morgan's store and then he would crawl through the trap door and go below. He was tried yesterday after he went to press but the charges are believed to be sent to the School of Reform at Lexington. It will develop at the trial whether he had accomplices. He is a grandson of Mrs. Mary Martin.—Harrodsburg Herald.

Bitten by a Mad Dog

Edgar Driskell, of Van Buren, a young man of nineteen years, was bitten by a mad dog last Sunday morning. He was at once brought to this city and the mad stone belonging to Mr. O. S. Buckley was applied, adhering to the wound, which was on the wrist, for one hour and thirty minutes. This stone has never been known to fail to adhere to a wound made by a rabid dog. In view of the damage done in this county, during the winter, by rabid dogs, all persons should be constantly on their guard, and dogs found wandering without the attendance of their owners should be killed without hesitancy.—Lawrenceburg It.

Bad For Louisville.

About fifty tobacco growers from Central Kentucky who had been shipping tobacco to the Louisville market went to Cincinnati Tuesday evening, and Wednesday morning offered 500 hogsheads on the breaks. This is the third trip of the season for this Kentucky contingent, who hail from Owen, Spencer, Henry, Washington and Franklin counties. Their tobacco had formerly all been shipped to Louisville, but when the Continental Tobacco Company secured control of all the warehouses the farmers determined to divert their trade to Cincinnati where they could find an independent market.—Harrodsburg Herald.

While the Short Hand

Of the clock travels twice around the dial Perry Davis Painkiller can cure a cold, will ease the tightness across the chest and hence will banish the fear of pneumonia. Just a little cold does not become a misery that clings till rose bloom has recourse to this never failing help. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'

On the first and third Tuesday of each month the Cotton Belt Route will sell one way and round trip tickets at one half of the regular rate plus $2 to points in Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas, allowing stop over going and return limit in 21 days.

This liberal rate is made for the purpose of inducing immigration to the great South west. It is hoped by those who have made a study of conditions that the territory on the American continent offers equal opportunities for stock raising, truck growing or any of the agricultural industries that are built up prosperous towns and cities.

To persons of limited means desiring a home, this section of country offers peculiar influence perhaps any place on earth. The fertility of soil, exceedingly low prices of land, mild open winters, long growing seasons admitting two and three crops to be made off the same ground, combine a grist of inducements and advantages that may before be found elsewhere.

Any of the following named rates describing the country and its resources along the line of the Cotton Belt Route will be sent free upon application. "Illinois, the Southwest," "Glimpses of Southern Missouri Arkansas and N. W. Louisiana," "Through Texas with a Camera," "Fortunes in Growing Fruits and Vegetables," The Diversified fruit and truck grower's journal.

E. W. LeBaume
G. P. & T. A. Cotton Belt Route
St. Louis, Mo.

Three Hurt

Ollie Borders, an employee of the Royer Wheel Co. while feeding a spoke machine at their plant here, Tuesday morning, got his hand caught in the machine and one of his fingers was cut completely off. On the same day Ezra Vaugn and Irvine Wayne two other employees of the company, were injured, the former getting his hand mashed between cogs and the latter losing a couple of fingers.—Lebanon Enterprise.

Mr. Wayne married Miss Alice Noe of this place.

$100 Reward $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Halls Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Halls Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature to do its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

F. J. Cheney & Co.
Toledo O.

Sold by druggists 75 cts.
Halls Family Pills are the best.

Interesting Relic

Mr. Burr H. Coleman of this county, this morning presented Capt. Lin McCoy a valuable souvenir of the battle of Perryville. The relic in question is the sword of Major Wall, a gallant Confederate officer who received a fatal wound during the engagement and who died several days afterwards at the home of Mr. Coleman's parents, who resided near the scene of the conflict. Mr. Burr Coleman who was quite a youth at the time attended faithfully the dying Confederate, who when so wounded had but a short time to live disposed of his possessions, and among other things he gave to his youthful friend the sword he was wearing at the time he received the wound. The sword was greatly prized by Mr. Coleman, who guarded it with zealous care until this morning when he presented it to Capt. McCoy.

In speaking of Major Wall, Mr. Coleman said he was a remarkably brave and dashing officer, and that his daring almost amounted to rashness. During the engagement at Perryville he had three horses killed under him before he received the fatal wound. He was a tall, handsome soldier and was greatly beloved by his fellow officers.

The sword is a straight blade of the officer's regulation, with brass hilt and leather scabbard part of the latter having been torn away by a shot which must have come uncomfortably close to the person of the wearer.

Not long since Mr. Coleman presented Capt. McCoy with a handsome revolver he found on the battlefield shortly after the conflict, which, although out of date, is still a most serviceable weapon.

Mr. Coleman was an eye witness to the battle of Perryville, and talks interestingly of the great engagement which, taking into consideration the number of men engaged was one of the most remarkable battles of the war.—Nelson Record.

Ely Liquid Cream Balm is an old friend in a new form. It is prepared for the particular benefit of sufferers from nasal catarrh who are used to an atomizer in spraying the diseased membranes. All the healing and soothing properties of Cream Balm are retained in the new preparation; It does not dry up the secretions. Price including tube 75 cts. at druggists or Ely Bros 56 Warren St, will mail it.

Lebanon Locals.

From the Falcon.

Mr. G. W. Robertson & Sons opened their new broom factory on Spalding avenue near the railroad, in this city, Thursday. They bought the machinery of the Diamond Broom Co., which recently closed down and removed same to their new quarters. The Lebanon Broom Works is the name given to this new plant.

The Grand Jury is still in session. They have so far returned 34 indictments as follows: For failing and refusing to receive mes-sages 10, breaking into cut-house 2, concealed deadly weapon 10, gaming 2, and one each for robbery, breaking into a barroom setting up a game, malicious wounding, procuring money under false pretense, attempt at rape, petit larceny, shooting on highway, and breach of peace.

Last evening about 7:30 o'clock a traveling salesman for the Milwaukee Harvester Company was making his way up Main street at an uncertain gait. He is a large man and when he got in front of the store of Courts & Crowdus, the sidewalk became too narrow for him and as a consequence he struck the large plate glass window in the front of the building and broke a hole in it large enough for a horse to pass through. Fortunately the unfortunate man escaped with only a scratch on his right cheek. The glass is a very large one and was worth about $125 which was fully insured. He came up and told the firm he was ready to pay all damages.

During the past six weeks there has been a great deal of petty thieving going on in Lebanon, seemingly by a band of criminals who successfully evaded the officers. Last Friday night the the homes of Mrs. McAfee and of Mrs. Judd just were broken into and among other things a large vase was taken from the first and an overcoat from the last named. Suspicions were aroused and a warrant was issued this morning to search the house of Elisha Parrott, colored. All the missing articles and many others were found in the house. Parrott was immediately placed under arrest and the matter was placed before the grand jury which returned the indictment promptly. He will be tried this term of court and is certain to take a free ride to Frankfort. He is not the only guilty one and likely there will be more arrests made before.

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